Thungabhadra Project (Engineers Employed).

Q.—82. Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM (Jagalur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) how many Superintending Engineers, Executive Engineers and Assistant Engineers are employed in the Thungabhadra Project :

(*b*) of these, how many are Mysoreans ?

(*c*) how many Mysoreans are employed in Non-Gazetted Engineering and ministerial staff ?

A.—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

		Irrigational side	*Electrical side*
(*a*)	Superintending Engineers. ...	1	1
	Executive Engineers ...	4	2
	Assistant Engineers ...	15	11
(*b*)	Executive Engineers ...	1	1
	Assistant Engineers ...	2	2*
(*c*)	Non-Gazetted Engineering staff	17	4
	Ministerial staff ...	Nil	12

(*apportioned to the Mysore State).

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—Was it not agreed at the time of negotiations that at least one of the Superintending Engineers must be appointed by Government of Mysore ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—That point was placed before the concerned authorities.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—When Mysore Government has been contributing practically half the amount, is it not necessary that one Superintending Engineer must represent Mysore Government ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—At the first meeting of the Thungabhadra Board, it was agreed that the proportion should be 50 : 50 and in the electric project, it should be 18 : 20. But, it was understood that this proportion would be given effect to as and when vacancies arise and gradually.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—But, that proportion has not been given effect to, and Mysore is not represented or very poorly represented. What action Government propose to take in this behalf ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—That is the resolution ; we will try to get the resolution implemented.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—Who is the authority that appoint these persons to these offices ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—So far as Mysore officers are concerned, we must send names and the Board should appoint them.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—What is the number of Non-Gazetted staff ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—I am sorry, I am not in a position to give that information now.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—At least, have the Government been satisfied, so far as Non-Gazetted staff is concerned, that Mysore Government has an adequate share ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—I have brought to the notice of the Hon'ble Members, the resolution passed at the first meeting of the Board, namely, 50 per cent of the staff should be Mysoreans.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—So, what steps Government take to implement that resolution ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—We will try our best to see that the resolution is implemented.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—Will the Government bring this to the notice of the Government of India and see that this is implemented ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—Yes.

Muzrai Institutions (Renovation of Certain Temples).

Q.—143. Sri D. M. GOVINDARAJU (Nelamangala).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—